GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COAL
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1460
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EXPLOSION IN SINGARENI COAL MINE
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Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a): the causes for recent explosion in the Singareni coal mine;

(b): the number of persons killed and loss suffered in this explosion;

(c): whether any inquiry has been conducted to ascertain the causes of explosion;

(d): if so, the details thereof; and

(e): the steps taken/proposed to be taken by the Government to prevent recurrence of such incidents in future?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR COAL (SHRI SYED SHAHNAWAZ HUSSAIN)

(a) & (b): It has been reported by the management of SCCL that there was no explosion in Singareni coal mines in recent time.

(c): No, Sir.

(d) & (e): Question does not arise in view of reply to the above.